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NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION

FILED UNDER 37 CFR 1.53(b)

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Items Required To Avoid Abandonment:

An application number and filing date have been accorded to this application. The item(s) indicated below, however, are missing. Applicant is given TWO MONTHS from the date of this Notice within which to file all required items and pay any fees required below to avoid abandonment. Extensions of time may be obtained by filing a petition accompanied by the extension fee under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

- The statutory basic filing fee is missing. Applicant must submit \$ 385 to complete the basic filing fee for a small entity.
- The oath or declaration is unsigned.
- To avoid abandonment, a late filing fee or oath or declaration surcharge as set forth in 37 CFR 1.16(e) of \$65 for a small entity in compliance with 37 CFR 1.27, must be submitted with the missing items identified in this letter.

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Total additional fee(s) required for this application is \$450 for a Small Entity

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RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF NONPROVISIONAL APPLICATION AND REQUEST FOR ONE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

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Sir:

In response to the attached U.S. Patent and Trademark Office (PTO) Notice To File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application mailed May 3, 2004, Applicants submit herewith an executed Declaration; the Statutory basic filing fee; and a late filing surcharge.

Applicants also respectfully petition for a one-month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a). Applicants submit herewith a check in the amount of \$505.00 for the following fees:

Statutory basic filing fee	\$385.00
Late Filing Surcharge	65.00
One Month Extension of Time	55.00

TOTAL AMOUNT ENCLOSED \$505.00 (Small Entity Fees)

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Respectfully submitted,

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